

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

<b>Appl. No.</b>	:	10/648536	Confirmation No. 4649
<b>Applicant</b>	:	LOCKERBIE, Robert Owen	
<b>Filed</b>	:	08/25/2003	
<b>Title</b>	:	Induction of and Maintenance of Nucleic Acid Damage in Pathogens Using Riboflavin and Light	
<b>TC/A.U.</b>	:	1651	
<b>Examiner</b>	:	LEE, Jae W.	
<b>Docket No.</b>	:	B0175-US02	
<b>Customer No.</b>	:	24994	

Commissioner for Patents  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE**

Sir:

Applicants thank the Examiner for having withdrawn the finality of the previous office action and reopening prosecution. Additionally, Applicants thank the Examiner for rejoining claims 8, 11-19 with the pending Application. In response to the office action dated September 4, 2008, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begins on page 5 of this paper.